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From: McCarthy, Julia [mailto:McCarthy.Julia@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, August 19, 2013 4:00 PM
To: McWhirter, Lesley A SPK
Cc: Bunch, William
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Field Work next week at McNulty Gulch

Leslie,

It will be Billy and I coming from EPA. Sarah will coordinate directly with the mine folks about possibly meeting on Friday. (b) (6) - Phone Number; Personal Privacy. We are aiming to arrive at the mine a little before 8 am.

Cheers,
Julia

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From: McWhirter, Lesley A SPK [mailto:Lesley.A.McWhirter@usace.army.mil]
Sent: Monday, August 19, 2013 11:07 AM
To: McCarthy, Julia; Bunch, William
Cc: Fowler, Sarah; Nall, Susan SPK; Finan, Michael C SPK; Ott, Toney
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From: Lazuk, Raymond [mailto:Raymond_Lazuk@FMI.com]
Sent: Monday, August 19, 2013 10:36 AM
To: Dave Mehan; McWhirter, Lesley A SPK; Nall, Susan SPK; Noah Greenberg
Cc: Hilshorst, Aaron
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Field Work next week at McNulty Gulch

I have cleared with our Safety Department that, as government agencies, the Corps and EPA do not have to watch the Climax Safety video at the Main Gate. They will need to sign in and out each day and must be escorted by MSHA-trained personnel from either Bikis or Climax. Each group also will

need PPE (we can provide hard hats, vests and safety glasses) and a radio (from the Main Gate or from Environmental). We expect the group to arrive and sign in at the Main Gate on Wednesday between 7:30 am and 8:00 am and can then drive down to the McNulty gate along Highway 91.

- Ray

From: Dave Mehan [mailto:mehan@bikiswater.com]
Sent: Friday, August 16, 2013 11:13 AM
To: McWhirter, Lesley A SPK; Nall, Susan SPK; Noah Greenberg
Cc: Lazuk, Raymond; Hilshorst, Aaron
Subject: Field Work next week at McNulty Gulch

Lesley, Sue and Noah-As you know, we are meeting in the field next week at the Climax Mine to verify the delineation. I thought it would be good idea to remind you of some things:

- * We will be working at high altitude (12,000 feet) with variable weather. It will be cold in the morning (it was 38 degrees there yesterday morning) and warmer later in the day. Please bring clothes, accordingly, including rain gear.
- * You will need to bring your own food and water for each day. We will likely leave the truck each day and be in the field until the afternoon when we get picked-up. I suggest everyone have an appropriately sized day pack.
- * Don't forget sun screen!

- * It would be good to start as early as possible each morning to take advantage of the weather.
- * Everyone will need to watch the Climax safety video at the main gate first thing. Sue and Lesley-if you have cards from last year, you won't have to watch the video.
- * Everyone needs to have safety gear, including steel toed boots, hard hat, orange reflective vest and safety glasses. Climax can provide vests and hard hats, but it is best to have your own in case they run out. Also, no shorts.

We are planning on having two teams in the field. I will have paper copies of the delineation blown-up on two sheets, and also a copy of the good Sept 2011 Google Earth aerial for each team. I think the best approach is to all work together on the upper bench (wetlands E and O) the first day to coordinate the work for consistency. We can then split up, as needed, to cover the area.

Lesley and Sue-Do you know about when you can be on site (at the main gate) Weds morning, and also when you will have to leave Friday?

Thanks in advance for your assistance with this project. Please contact me if you have any questions or suggestions.

Regards,

Dave

PS-Lesley and Sue, please forward this email to anyone else with the Corps who will be at the field meeting.